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PAW PAW, MICHIGAN, SEPT. 18, 1884.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

National Ticket.

For President—
JAMES G. BLAINE, of Maine.
For Vice President—
JOHN A. LOGAN, of Illinois.

Presidential Electors.

At Large—Dwight Cutler, Joseph B. Moore.
First District—James McMillan.
Second District—William S. Wilcox.
Third District—George H. French.
Fourth District—E. Eastman Johnson.
Fifth District—George G. Steketee.
Sixth District—Josephus Smith.
Seventh District—George W. Jones.
Eighth District—Charles W. Wells.
Ninth District—Lorenzo A. Barker.
Tenth District—Seth McLean.
Eleventh District—John Duncan.

Congressional Ticket.

For Member of Congress—
JULIUS C. BURROWS of Kalamazoo.

State Ticket.

For Governor—
RUSSELL A. ALGER, of Wayne.
For Lieutenant Governor—
ARCHIBALD BUTTARS, of Charlevoix.
For Secretary of State—
HARRY A. CONANT, of Monroe.
For State Treasurer—
EDWARD H. BUTLER, of Wayne.
For Auditor General—
WILLIAM C. STEVENS, of Washtenaw.
For Commissioner of the Land Office—
MINOR S. NEWELL, of Genesee.
For Attorney General—
MORIS TAGGART, of Kent.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—
HERSCHELL R. GASS, of Hillsdale.
For Member of the State Board of Education—
JAMES M. BALLOU, of Allegan.

County Ticket.

For Judge of Probate—
ORRIN N. HILTON.
For Sheriff—
JOHN G. TODD.
For County Treasurer—
JOHN C. MCLEIN.
For County Clerk—
GEORGE W. MYERS.
For Register of Deeds—
SAMUEL L. WILSON.
For Prosecuting Attorney—
ALONZO H. CHANDLER.
For Circuit Court Commissioner—
SAMUEL HOLMES.
For County Surveyor—
ARTHUR L. MOULTON.
For County Coroner—
ALBERT A. FOSDICK.
For Coroners—
JAMES H. RICHARDS.
HENRY C. MAYNARD.

Republican Representative Convention.

A republican representative district convention for the 1st district of Van Buren county will be held at the Court House in the village of Paw Paw, on Saturday, the 20th day of September inst., at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of Representative in the State Legislature. The several townships of the district will be entitled to representation as follows: Antwerp 9, Decatur 9, Hartford 8, Hamilton 5, Keeler 5, Lawrence 8, Paw Paw 12, Porter 5, Almena 4.
J. W. LAWTON,
E. H. SIMPSON,
Committee.

Paw Paw Republican Caucus.

The republicans of the township of Paw Paw will hold a caucus at the Court House, on Friday, the 19th day of Sept. inst., at two o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting twelve delegates to the republican convention to be held at Paw Paw, on Saturday, Sept. 20th, 1884, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the caucus. By order of
REP. TWP. COMMITTEE.

Almena Republican Caucus.

The republicans of the township of Almena will hold a caucus at the village of Almena, on Friday, the 19th day of September, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting 4 delegates to the republican convention to be held at Paw Paw, on Saturday, Sept. 20th, 1884, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the caucus. By order of
REP. TWP. COMMITTEE.

Lawrence Republican Caucus.

The republicans of the township of Lawrence will hold a caucus at the village of Lawrence on Saturday, Sept. 19th, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the representative convention to be held at Paw Paw, on Saturday, Sept. 20th, 1884. By order of
REP. TWP. COMMITTEE.

The upper house of the Maine legislature is unanimously republican.

There is an "if" in the way of democratic success this fall. It is the far-iff.

The voters of Maine are mainly republican. 20,000 plurality is quite satisfactory.

What a shock it must have been to the nervous system of old lady Curtis when she received returns from the independent vote in Maine.

Democrats don't like Gen. Logan's English. It is preferable though to old Bill English, late democratic candidate to the vice presidency, and the people like it better.

The Detroit Free Press figures sure success for Cleveland without either Ohio or New York. It is an old adage that "figures won't lie," but when manipulated by a democratic politician they are the worst liars in the world.

Judge S. S. Fallas is the fusion nominee for congress in the 9th district. It wasn't he who made 2:19 1/2 at Kalamazoo the other day. That was another Phallas. It is expected that the 9th district Fallas will be distanced in the congressional race by Hon. B. M. Cutcheon his competitor.

In 1880 the state of Maine at her gubernatorial election gave a fusion plurality of 169 votes, and yet Garfield was elected. In 1884 the republicans carry the state by a plurality of 20,000 votes. And democratic politicians talk about defeating Blaine. They themselves don't believe what they say.

Some of our republican contemporaries speak of the custom of the county committee's designating the temporary chairman of republican conventions as a new thing. We have had the curiosity to examine the records and find that ever since the convention of 1874 such has been the practice in this county, a practice that is in accordance with precedents set by both state and national conventions. It is a matter of trifling importance at best, and the republican who would make a fuss about it must be spoiling for a kick.

The story of that eel that came up to receive its annual skinning, told by Colonel Messmore, would have been more applicable to the democratic party which has taken its regular skinning for more than a quarter of a century, and yet "bobs up serenely" to have the process repeated, as it will be in November.

Tammany Hall.

The democratic press of the country is congratulating the democratic party on the fact that at last, two months after his nomination, Tammany Hall has decided to support the candidacy of Mr. Cleveland. But before the adoption of the resolution of support an address was presented from which we make the following extracts, which must be very comforting and consoling to the democracy, and which indicates very clearly about how heartily Mr. Cleveland will be supported by John Kelly and his band of painted braves:

"The people of this city demanded to have elevated railroad corporations confined to legitimate returns for capital invested in a valuable franchise which was conferred on them by the city and state, and after a prolonged struggle with all the influences that capital can employ, labor secured a victory in the legislature, only to be

THWARTED BY A VETO in the executive chamber. By the effort of the Tammany organization, through one of its senators, an act was passed and signed by the governor to submit the question of the abolition of the contract system in the state prisons to the voters of the state, and the people sustained the measure by a majority of 138,000 votes, notwithstanding hundreds of thousands of ballots against the proposition was secretly distributed by party managers, members of the Democratic State Central Committee, in order to defeat this democratic measure.

"A bill limiting the hours of labor of car drivers and conductors passed the Legislature. It was met with the Executive veto and killed, thereby continuing the hardships of honest, over-worked men. The laborers and mechanics of the state sought to protect themselves from loss at the hands of dishonest contractors and employers, and caused to be passed an act by the Legislature giving the lien of the mechanic and laborer priority over all others. This also suffered the same fate.

We might add and enumerate other instances, but we have shown sufficient to have warranted even stronger opposition on our part to the nominee of the democratic party than we made at Chicago. Being an integral portion of the great democratic party, we have always, in our capacity as delegates, exercised the right to advocate men whom we knew could be trusted by the people, or oppose the nomination of those who were not; and it was in the exercise of this right and in the conscientious discharge of duty that we took occasion at Chicago to advise against the nomination which was made by the national convention. Our opposition was without personal feeling, and arose from our intimate knowledge of the sentiments of the toiling masses of our state as to the course of Governor Cleveland in regard to their labor bills.

"The most charitable view to take of his case is that

HE WAS IGNORANT AND UNENLIGHTENED, concerning the nature and working of these laws, which would have occasioned so much real benefit to the workingmen, and could not have resulted in loss to employers."

They further say in the address that there is but one alternative left them, and that is to sever their connection with the democratic party, and that in justice to their constituents they cannot do that, and that while protesting against the unwise and injudicious course pursued by the Chicago convention in nominating Mr. Cleveland, they acquiesce in the will of the majority of the delegates which they believe to have been unwisely expressed. Ex-Senator Grady made a speech which was loudly applauded, repudiating Mr. Cleveland and declaring his intention to support Butler.

John Kelly, when called upon, refused to respond, shook his head and maintained an ominous silence.

Gen. Spicola moved the adoption of the resolution to support Cleveland and in doing so said that the wheeling into line of Tammany Hall would not secure Cleveland's election. "The democrats of the country must also wheel into line." "It is possible even at this late date to snatch victory from the jaws of defeat."

Only a small portion of the members answered to their names when the roll was called on the adoption of the resolution.

The whole affair shows that Tammany will at best give Mr. Cleveland but a lukewarm and divided support, that its members have no heart in its promised aid, that they are very willing to have Mr. Cleveland defeated, and are ready to contribute such aid and assistance to that end as they can render without severing their connection with the democratic party.

Low Tariff Prices.

Mr. P. E. Studebaker, of the well-known Indiana wagon-making firm of Studebaker Brothers, recently gave the following recollections of the prices that prevailed in the old days of democratic administration and low tariff:

I remember distinctly the good times before the war so often talked about. We then had a comparatively small public debt, and had the revenues from the sales of the public lands. The tariff was low, but our industries were lower still. We had a tariff for "revenue exclusively" and no war debt to pay, yet we paid six cents per yard for calico when it was at its lowest point. Every manufactured article made abroad cost more than it does now under the present "robber tariff," and the only defense our people had against the high price was in spinning and weaving the most of their own goods. Farm hands were paid at the highest \$13 per month. Corn sold as high as 35 cents. Wheat once reached 80, but the spurt was only temporary, for it fell back to 60 in a few weeks. Horses sold at from \$35 to \$60 and the best cows could be purchased at \$15 to \$20. Hogs sometimes reached \$3 75 per hundred, but the average price from 1840 to 1860 was \$2. Butter sold at from 6 to 10 cents per pound and eggs ranged from 3 to 8 cents per dozen, and at points remote from rivers and lines of transportation there was no market for any farm products except the cereals and live stock. In those days we sold wagons at retail for \$110 which we now sell for \$60. Flows which then sold for \$12 are now sold at \$6. Labor of every kind commands from 25 to 60 per cent more than it did then, while every manufactured and imported article which labor uses or consumes, sells from 20 to 200 per cent cheaper than it did before the war, and the only articles which command higher prices are those produced on the farm.—Detroit Post.

The notion that climate had much to do with Rheumatism and Neuralgia, passed away with the discovery that they were blood diseases, and just as likely to exist in one climate as another. Athliophoros meets them on their own ground, purges the blood of the poisons which induce them, and effects the most wonderful cures North, South, East and West, without reference to climate or weather. Says Mr. James Cook, Smithton, Mo.: "Athliophoros has done wonders for my wife's rheumatism, and is helping others."

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"I am past 77 years of age, have had the Rheumatism three years and eight months; lost one-third of my weight; could not walk, but shuffled along on crutches; could not sleep; nerves shattered, no strength in my hands, wrists, knees or feet. But thanks be to God for your great discovery! The medicine arrived Saturday night. I took a dose Sunday morning, felt it all over me, and kept on with it. Monday morning I got up and dressed myself, and walked out into the kitchen without the aid of crutch or cane, and wished them all a happy New Year. I rest well nights, am gaining in strength, and once more enjoy life. Wish I could put ATHLIOPHOROS in the hands of every sufferer from this terrible disease."

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